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Enclosed are:

- A specification consisting of Forty-three (43) pages
- Two (2) sheets formal drawings
- An assignment of the invention
- Applicant claims small entity status under 37 C.F.R. § 1.27
- Applicant does not claim priority

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- Applicant claims the right of priority under 35 U.S.C. § 119 based on Application No. 2002-291896 filed in JAPAN on October 4, 2002.
- Certified copy is attached hereto.
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- Executed Declaration (Original Photocopy)
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- Preliminary Amendment
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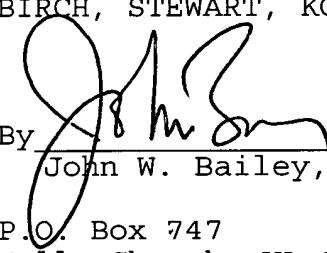
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